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Back to School Extravaganza

Commissioner Jerry Garza along with the Buenos Aires Community Center hosted its Second Annual Back to School Extravaganza. This year's event was held at the Laredo Civic Center in order to accommodate the large number of children that the Commissioner was able to assist for the 2009-2010 school year.

The children enjoyed many presentations about safety from the Laredo Police Department and U. S. Customs & Border Protection. U.S. Customs & Border Protection had many special guest "customs officers", but the one in particular that brought the

most excitement was Special Agent K-9. The Sheriff's Department was also on hand fingerprinting all the children.



The children also enjoyed a Frito pie and a delicious piece of cake. All the children were given a backpack filled with school supplies thanks to the generous donation of our sponsors.

Thank you to all our sponsors and to everyone who made this event a complete success!!

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Texas A & M Colonias Program
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Quote of the Month

*Learning is a treasure
that will follow its
owner everywhere.*

Chinese Proverb



Upcoming Events

October Birthday Celebration

Monday, October 19, 2009 9:00 A.M.

Halloween Party

Friday, October 30, 2009 9:00 A.M.

Daylight Savings Time

Fall back....move your clock one (1) hour back.

Steps for a Successful School Year

1. Focus on the positives
2. Create an educational environment at home
3. Create a daily routine
4. Visit the classroom and meet the teachers
5. Have extra school supplies at home
6. Have healthy snacks ready after school
7. Eat dinner together and talk about their day